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Re: Docket No. DN2003201

Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing a Patent Application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the Specification, including 21 claim(s), 15 sheets of formal drawings, Declaration and Power of Attorney, of Mark Anthony Sieverding, Jean-Claude Girard, William Dudley Currie, David Alan Henthorne, Dennis Alan Lundell, for **TIRE MANUFACTURING MODULE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING TIRES.**

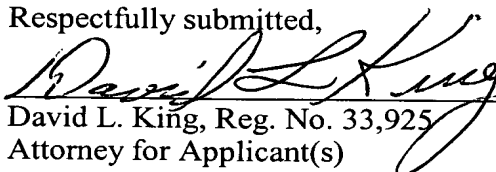
Also enclosed is Disclosure 37 CFR §1.56 with Form PTO-1449 and copies of the cited references.

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Respectfully submitted,


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